Basic Font Attributes - Font Size

This text contains examples of different font sizes, expressed either as an absolute value or a relative value. Predefined font size constants are also tested (xx-small to xx-large); remember that specs suggest a 120% font size increase between the adjacent values.

Helvetica, numeric absolute values:

Helvetica 5 points Helvetica 5 p

Helvetica 9.5 points Helvetica 9.5 points Helvetica 9.5 points Helvetica 9.5 points

Helvetica 14 points Helvetica 14 points Helvetica 14 points

Helvetica 18.5 points Helvetica 18.5 points

Helvetica 23 points Helvetica 23 points

Helvetica, predefined absolute values:

Helvetica xx-small Helvetica xx-

Helvetica x-small Helvetica x-

Helvetica small Helvetica small Helvetica small Helvetica small

Helvetica medium Helvetica medium Helvetica medium Helvetica medium

Helvetica large Helvetica large Helvetica large

Helvetica x-large Helvetica x-large

Helvetica xx-large

Helvetica, predefined relative values:

[Helvetica, smaller than 8 points] [Helvetica, 8 points] [Helvetica, larger than 8 points]

[Helvetica, smaller than 12 points] [Helvetica, 12 points] [Helvetica, larger than 12 points]

[Helvetica, smaller than 16 points] [Helvetica, 16 points] [Helvetica, larger than 16 points]

Helvetica, percent values:

[Helvetica, 100% of 7 points] [Helvetica, 100% of 7 points] [Helvetica, 140% of 7 points] [Helvetica, 180% of 7 points]

[Helvetica, 60% of 10.5 points] [Helvetica, 100% of 10.5 points] [Helvetica, 140% of 10.5 points] [Helvetica, 180% of 10.5 points]

[Helvetica, 60% of 14 points] [Helvetica, 100% of 14 points] [Helvetica, 140% of 14 points] [Helvetica, 180% of 14 points]

Times, numeric absolute values:

Times 5 points Times

Times 9.5 points Times 9.5 points Times 9.5 points Times 9.5 points Times 9.5 points

Times 14 points Times 14 points Times 14 points

Times 18.5 points Times 18.5 points

Times 23 points Times 23 points

Times, predefined absolute values:

Times xx-small Times

Times x-small Times x-small Times x-small Times x-small Times x-small Times x-small

Times small Times small Times small Times small Times small

Times medium Times medium Times medium Times medium

Times large Times large Times large

Times x-large Times x-large

Times xx-large

Times, predefined relative values:

[Times, smaller than 8 points] [Times, 8 points] [Times, larger than 8 points]

[Times, smaller than 12 points] [Times, 12 points] [Times, larger than 12 points]

[Times, smaller than 16 points] [Times, 16 points] [Times, larger than 16 points]

Times, percent values:

[Times, 60% of 7 points] [Times, 100% of 7 points] [Times, 140% of 7 points] [Times, 180% of 7 points]

[Times, 60% of 10.5 points] [Times, 140% of 10.5 points] [Times, 180% of 10.5 points] [Times, 180% of 10.5 points]

[Times, 60% of 14 points] [Times, 100% of 14 points] [Times, 140% of 14 points] [Times, 180% of 14 points]

Courier, numeric absolute values:

Courier 5 points Courier 5 points

Courier 9.5 points Courier 9.5 points Courier 9.5 points Courier 9.5 points

Courier 14 points Courier 14 points Courier 14 points

Courier 18.5 points Courier 18.5 points

Courier 23 points Courier 23 points

Courier, predefined absolute values:

Courier xx-small Courier xx-small Courier xx-small Courier xx-small Courier xx-small Courier xx-small Courier xx-small

Courier x-small Courier x-small Courier x-small Courier x-small Courier x-small Courier x-small

Courier small Courier small Courier small Courier small Courier small

Courier medium Courier medium Courier medium

Courier large Courier large Courier large

Courier x-large Courier x-large

Courier xx-large

Courier, predefined relative values:

[Courier, smaller than 8 points] [Courier, 8 points] [Courier, larger than 8 points]

[Courier, smaller than 12 points] [Courier, 12 points] [Courier, larger than 12 points]

[Courier, smaller than 16 points] [Courier, 16 points] [Courier, larger than 16 points]

Courier, percent values:

[Courier, 60% of 7 points] [Courier, 100% of 7 points] [Courier, 140% of 7 points] [Courier, 180% of 7 points]

[Courier, 60% of 10.5 points] [Courier, 100% of 10.5 points] [Courier, 140% of 10.5 points] [Courier, 180% of 10.5 points]

[Courier, 60% of 14 points] [Courier, 100% of 14 points]

[Courier, 140% of 14 points]

[Courier, 180% of 14 points]